OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for week ending Saturday the 26th October 1929 :—

Food articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice ..	Guntoor per palla ..	100	246	19 0 0 to 21 0 0	..	4½ to 5 seers per rupee
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna per palla ..	100	246	22 8 0	..	4½ ,,
	Dharapur ,, ..	100	246	23 8 0	..	4 ,,
	Mysore Kaddi ,, ..	100	246	19 0 0 to 20 0 0	..	5 ,,
	Alubbalu ,, ..	100	246	19 8 0	..	5 ,,
Ragi ..	Duyam (Black) per cart load ..	640	..	58 0 0 to 61 0 0	..	
	Superior (Red) ,, ..	640	..	63 0 0 to 65 0 0	..	9½ to 10½ ,,
Tur ..	Gulberga ..	..	..	....	..	6 to 6½ ,,
Tur (Dal) ..	....	..	..	....	..	3½ to 4½ ,,
Avare ..	....	..	..	....	..	5½ to 6½ ,,
Avare (Dal) ..	....	..	..	....	..	4½ to 5 ,,
Oils and oilseeds—						
Oils ..	Sweet oil ..	..	26½	6 0 0 to 6 2 0	..	0-2-6 per seer.
	Castor oil ..	..	28	6 4 0	..	0-2-8 per seer.
Oilseeds ..	Gingelly or Til seed per candy ..	255	..	40 0 0 to 43 0 0	..	..
	Castor seed ,, ..	255	..	28 0 0 to 34 0 0	..	..
Other Food Articles.—						
Sugar ..	White Bura ..	..	25	3 7 0 to 3 8 0	..	0-6-9 to 0-7-0 per viss.
	Kolar Bura ..	..	25	3 6 0	..	
Jaggery ..	Achu ..	..	28	3 12 0 to 4 4 0	..	0-7-3 to 0-8-6 per viss.
	Oonde ..	..	28	3 10 0 to 4 2 0	..	
Ghee ..	Superior (Mandya) ..	..	26½	28 0 0 to 32 0 0	..	3-8-0 to 4-0-0 per viss.
Salt .	Bombay Salt (Black) ..	100	..	7 0 0	..	14 seers per rupee.

BANGALORE,
Dated 29th October 1929.

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For *Director*.

OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE, FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 26TH OCTOBER 1929.

A total of 286 attacks with 160 deaths from plague was returned for the week against 143 attacks with 89 deaths in the previous week. Bangalore and Mysore Cities returned 6 attacks with 5 deaths and 6 attacks and 2 deaths respectively. The Kolar Gold Field area continued to remain free from the disease.

2. Comparative figures for the corresponding week were 137 attacks with 78 deaths in 1928 and 80 attacks with 53 deaths in 1927.

3. Fifteen attacks with 13 deaths from small-pox were returned for one village in each of the Seringapatam and Honnali Taluks and Shimoga Town.

4. Three attacks with 3 deaths from influenza were returned for Bangalore City and the Kolar Gold Field area.

5. The State continued to remain free from relapsing fever and cholera.

6. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 89, representing a calculated annual ratio of 39·03 per mille of population against the average ratio of 32·52 for 1928. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 5 under plague, 5 under malaria, 18 under pneumonia, 1 under typhoid 3 under other fevers, 9 under phthisis, 6 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 42 under all other causes.

7. As compared with the City, the Civil and Military Station returned 68 deaths for the week ending 20th October 1929, representing a calculated annual ratio of 29·83 per mille of population against the average ratio of 31·59 in the previous week. The causes of deaths were—pneumonia 16, phthisis 2, other fevers 1, diarrhœa 2 and all other causes 47.

8. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 77, representing a calculated annual ratio of 47·69 per mille of population against the average ratio of 33·51 for 1928. The causes of deaths were—plague 2, malaria 5, pneumonia 12, typhoid 1, other fevers 1, phthisis 6, dysentery and diarrhœa 6 and all other causes 44.

9. There were 58 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Field area equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 34·39 per mille of population against the average ratio of 24·31 for 1928. The causes of deaths were—pneumonia 5, typhoid 1, other fevers 1, phthisis 5, dysentery and diarrhœa 5 and all other causes 41.

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